## **CLAIM OR CLAIMS**

## What is claimed is:

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- 1. A compactable paintball marker cleaner, comprising:
  - a first arm having a first arm pivot end;
- a second arm having a second arm pivot end and a cleaner end, the second arm pivot end pivotally connected to the first arm pivot end; and an elastic squeegee scraper connected to the second arm cleaner end.
- The apparatus of claim 1, the first arm further comprising:
  a first arm guide defining an offset insertion guide.
  - 3. The apparatus of claim 1, the first arm further comprising: a first arm guide defining a spreader body.
- 15 4. The apparatus of claim 1, the first arm further comprising: a first arm guide defining a tip encasing offset.
  - 5. The apparatus of claim 1, the first arm defining a compaction cavity, wherein at least a potion of the second arm is adapted to nest in the compaction cavity of the first arm.
    - 6. The apparatus of claim 1, further comprising:a position lock adapted to secure the first arm in relation to the second arm.

- 7. The apparatus of claim 6, wherein the position lock is adapted to be one hand operable for opening and closing the squeegee.
  - 8. The apparatus of claim 1, further comprising:
- a closed position retention mechanism adapted to secure the first and second arms in an closed position.
- 9. The apparatus of claim 1, the closed position retention mechanism comprising:
  a frictional engagement tab connected to the second arm, the fictional engagement
  tab adapted to frictionally engage the first arm.
  - 10. The apparatus of claim 1, the second arm cleaner end defining a pear shaped scraper guide aperture for controlling the pivoting of the elastic squeegee scraper.
    - 11. A compactable paintball marker squeegee comprising:
      - a first elongated body;

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- a second elongated body adapted to be positioned in connection with the first elongated position to both extend to a cleaning position and compact to a storage position; and a squeegee end cleaner connected to the second arm.
  - 12. A compactable paintball marker cleaning apparatus, comprising:a first arm defining a compaction cavity;

a second arm adjustably connected to the first arm to be position in both an extend position and a compacted position, wherein at least a portion of the second arm is adapted to nest within the compaction cavity of the first arm; and

a cleaner head connected to the cleaning rod.

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13. The apparatus of claim 12,

the first arm having a base wall, a first side wall, and a second side wall defining a compaction aperture;

the second arm having a center wall and a back wall, wherein at least a portion of
the center wall is adapted to fit within the compaction aperture.

- 14. The apparatus of claim 12, the first arm further comprising:

  a first arm guide defining an offset insertion guide.
- 15. The apparatus of claim 12, the first arm further comprising: a first arm guide defining a spreader body.
  - 16. The apparatus of claim 12, the first arm further comprising: a first arm guide defining a tip encasing offset.

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17. The apparatus of claim 12, further comprising:a position lock adapted to secure the first arm in relation to the second arm.

- 18. The apparatus of claim 17, wherein the position lock may is adapted to be one hand operable for opening and closing the squeegee.
- The apparatus of claim 17, further comprising:
   a closed position retention mechanism adapted to secure the first and second arms in an closed position.
  - 20. A paintball marker cleaner, comprising: an elastic squeegee scraper; and
- an arm defining a pear shaped scraper guide aperture for controlling the pivoting of the elastic squeegee scraper.